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Vice Admiral William E. Ramsey, U.S. Navy
Deputy Commander in Chief
United States Space Command
Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado 80914-5001

Dear Admiral Ramsey,

I am pleased that [] my organization worked out so well at Aerospace Defense Command (ADC) and greatly appreciate your characterization of his performance. I regret, however, that I cannot offer a replacement for him at this time. We are facing critical staffing problems, particularly in the Office of Scientific and Weapons Research, the component most likely to have analysts suited to your needs.

I recognize the importance of our continued close interaction with the Space Command, and I continue to support the principle of an analyst exchange program. I will review our situation next year in hope of reinstituting an analyst assignment at ADC. As you know I have recently appointed a senior intelligence officer, [] to act as liaison to your command. [] will probably report in early Fall. In the meantime please call on me or other members of my staff if we can support you.

Sincerely,

Richard J. Kerr
Deputy Director for Intelligence

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Letter to Vice Admiral William E. Ramsey

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NOTE TO: DDI

Attached for your signature is a letter responding to Admiral Ramsey, Deputy C-in-C, US Space Command. He had requested that we replace [] an OSWR analyst, who has completed a two-year tour. We are unable to do so.

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